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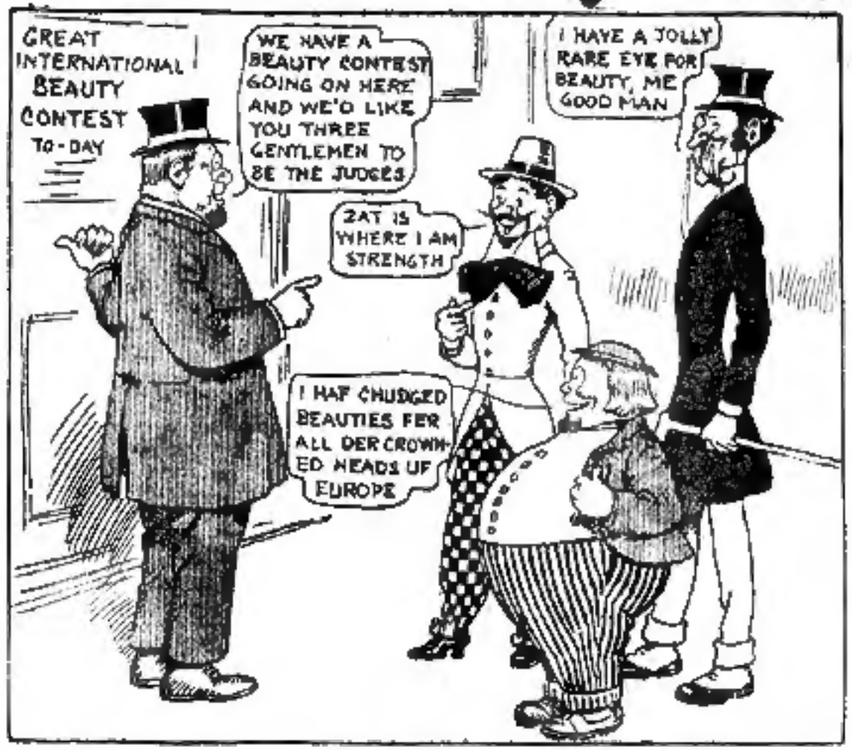
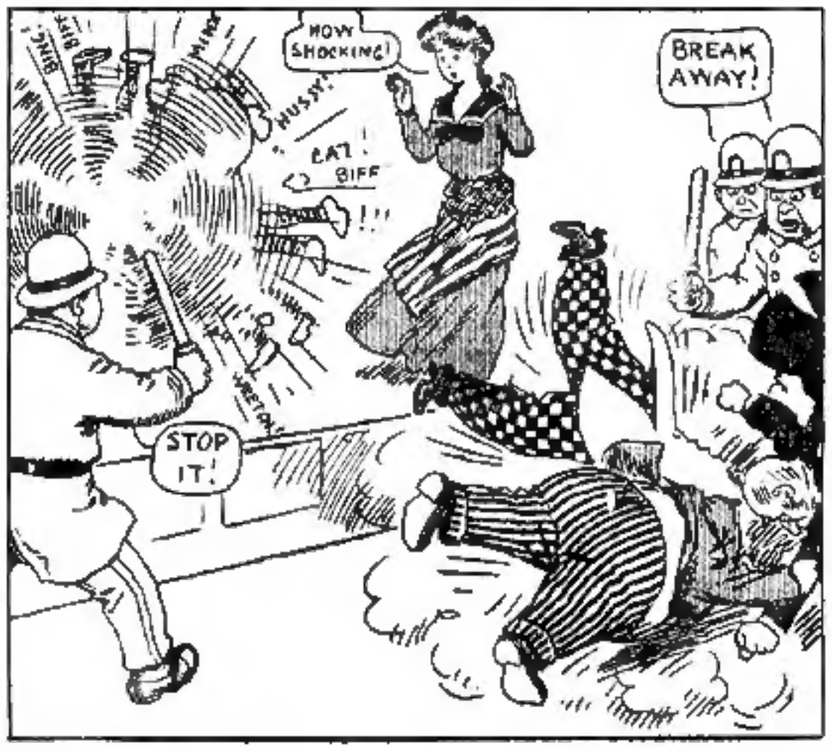

GREAT INTERNATIONAL BEAUTY CONTEST TO-DAY
WE HAVE A BEAUTY CONTEST GOING ON HERE AND WE'D LIKE YOU THREE GENTLEMEN TO BE THE JUDGES
I HAVE A JOLLY RARE EYE FOR BEAUTY, ME GOOD MAN
ZAT IS WHERE I AM STRENGTH
I HAF CHUDGED BEAUTIES FER ALL DER CROWNED HEADS UF EUROPE

THAT TALL HINGLISH LADY IS EASILY THE MOST BEAUTIFUL
THE ONE YOU SELECT GETS THIS GOLD MEDAL
MADAMOISELLE CHIC EES ZE WINNER WIS-OUT A RIVAL
FREULEIN VON DINGDONG
LADY BUMPHIZZ
MLLE. CHIC
I PICK DER FAT VUN

YOU SEE IT? I YILL VIN DIS MEDAL.
EH?
WHAT?
YOU HAVE NO EYE FOR BEAUTY!
BATS! YOU CAWN'T JUDGE A STEWED PRUNE
THEY CANT SEEM TO AGREE.
FREULEIN VON DINGDONG
LADY BUM-
FOG EYES! CAN'D YOU SEE ID VEN ID ISS BEAUTY?



YOU WIN THE MEDAL BY POPULAR VOTE
YOUSE KIN DREAM ABOUT HER IN JAIL TO-NIGHT
AFTER ALL, MY DEAR FRIENDS, THAT AMERICAN BEAUTY IS MOST DIVINELY FAIR.
VIVE LA AMERICAN BEAUTIES!
SHE KIN BLAY IN MY YARD, ALRETTY!
LADY BUMPHIZZ
MLLE CHIC
MISS PRETTYFACE U.S.A.
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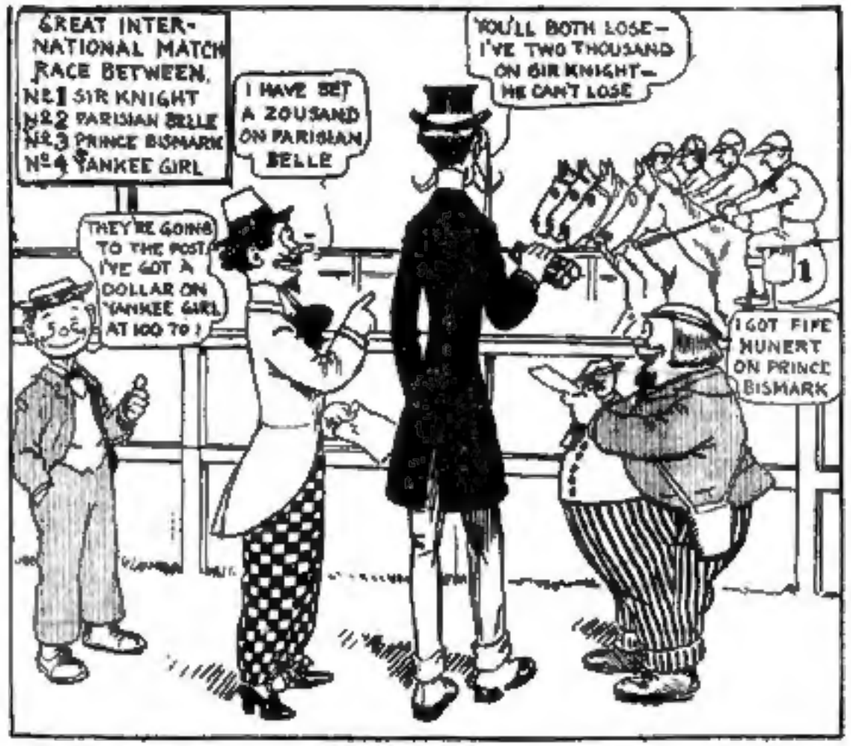
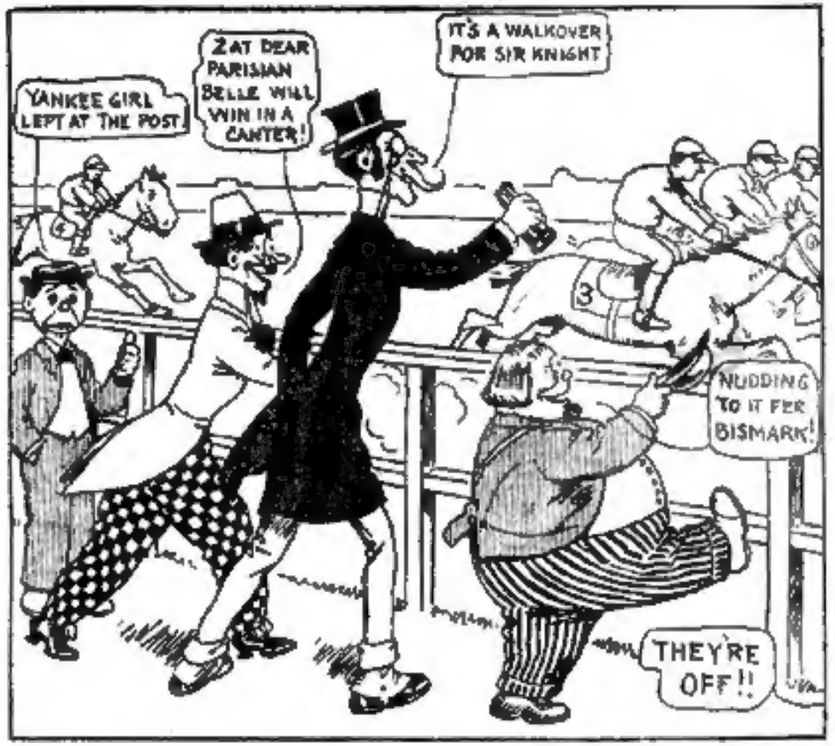
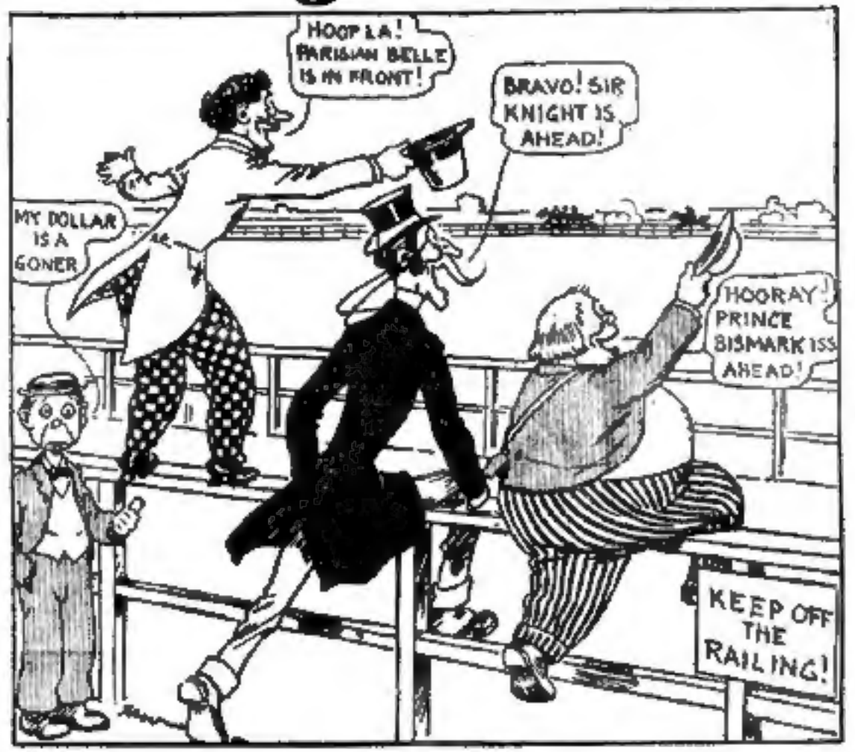
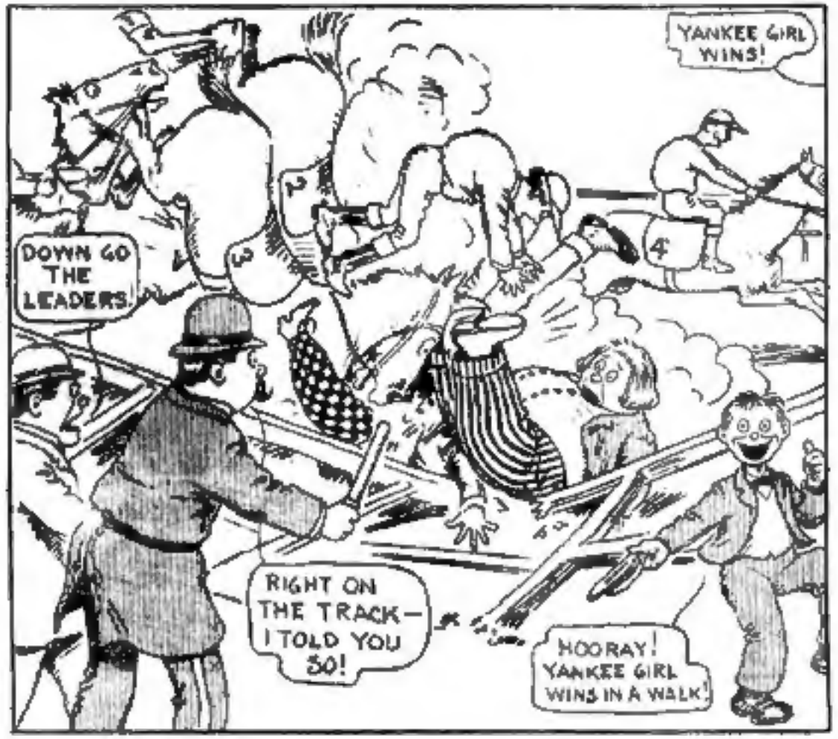

GREAT INTERNATIONAL MATCH RACE BETWEEN
No. 1 SIR KNIGHT
No. 2 PARISIAN BELLE
No. 3 PRINCE BISMARK
No. 4 YANKEE GIRL
I HAVE BET A ZOUSAND ON PARISIAN BELLE
YOU'LL BOTH LOSE— I'VE TWO THOUSAND ON SIR KNIGHT— HE CAN'T LOSE
THEY'RE GOING TO THE POST I'VE GOT A DOLLAR ON YANKEE GIRL AT 100 TO 1
I GOT FIFE HUNERT ON PRINCE BISMARK


YANKEE GIRL LEPT AT THE POST!
2AT DEAR PARISIAN BELLE WILL WIN IN A CANTER!
IT'S A WALKOVER FOR SIR KNIGHT
NUDDING TO IT FER BISMARK!
THEY'RE OFF!!


HOOP LA! PARISIAN BELLE IS IN FRONT!
BRAVO! SIR KNIGHT IS AHEAD!
MY DOLLAR IS A GONER
HOORAY! PRINCE BISMARK ISS AHEAD!
KEEP OFF THE RAILING!

PARISIAN BELLE IS IN ZE LEAD!
I SAY SIR KNIGHT IS AHEAD!
YOU'RE ANUDDER IT'S PRINCE BISMARK!
YANKEE GIRL CANT CATCH UP— LOOKS LIKE A DEAD HEAT BETWEEN THE LEADERS
LOOK OUT! THE RAILIN' IS BREAKIN'!
KEEP OFF THE RAILING!
CRACK



AFTER ALL, MY DEAR FRIENDS, YANKEE GIRL DESERVED TO WIN THAT RACE
RACING ASSOCIATION
I AM BUST!
OH, CHUCKS! BISMARK VAS A HOBBY HORSE, VUNCE
MA WONT HAVE TO TAKE IN WASHING NOW

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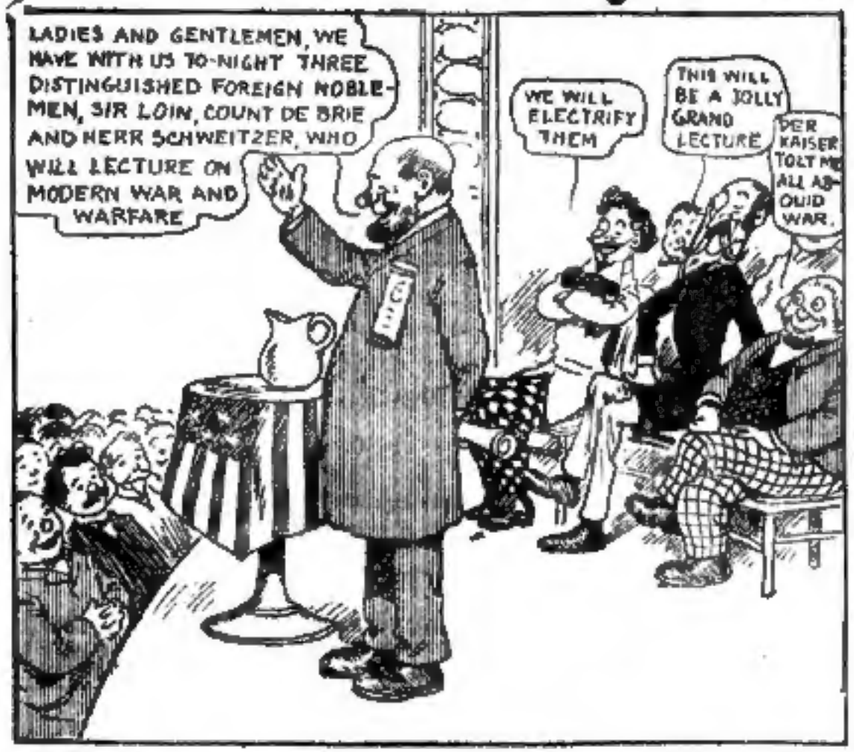
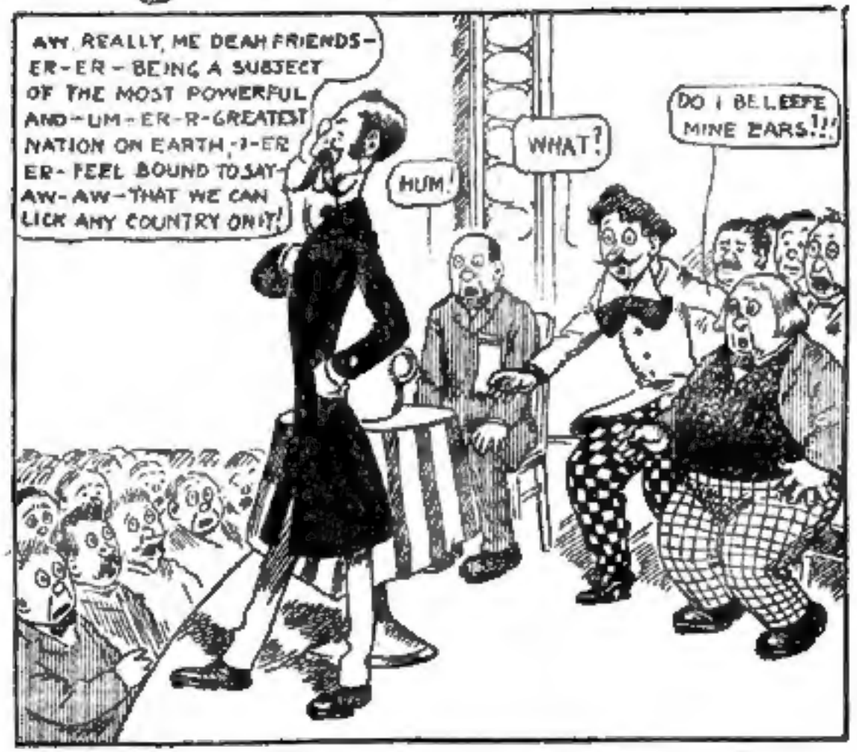

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, WE HAVE WITH US TO-NIGHT THREE DISTINGUISHED FOREIGN NOBLEMEN, SIR LOIN, COUNT DE BRIE AND HERR SCHWEITZER, WHO WILL LECTURE ON MODERN WAR AND WARFARE
WE WILL ELECTRIFY THEM
THIS WILL BE A JOLLY GRAND LECTURE
DER KAISER TOLT ME ALL ABOUID WAR.

FIRST I WILL INTRODUCE TO YOU SIR LOIN, OF MAYFAIR, LONDON, WHO WILL GIVE US HIS VIEWS
MINE WILL BE ZE PIECE DE RESISTANCE
BUT SHOOST VAIT TILL DEY HEAR ME SBEAK VUNCE
AW, AW CHAW-MED, I'M SURE!
GOOD!
HEAR! HEAR!


AW, REALLY, ME DEAH FRIENDS—ER-ER—BEING A SUBJECT OF THE MOST POWERFUL AND—UM—ER-R-GREATEST NATION ON EARTH,—I-ER ER—FEEL BOUND TO SAY AW-AW—THAT WE CAN LICK ANY COUNTRY ON IT!
HUM!
WHAT?
DO I BELEEFE MINE EARS!!!

WE ARE ZE GREATEST AND MOST POWERFUL NATION ON EARTH!
I SAY WE——
DESIST, GENTLEMEN!
SQUELCH 'EM
NO, YE ARE DER GREADEST UND POWER-FULLEST!
KILL 'EM!
WELL, THE IDEA!

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, WE FORGOT TO SAY THAT THIS WOULD BE AN ILLUSTRATED LECTURE ON WAR.
WE'LL SHOW YOU A THING OR TWO ABOUT WAR
WE WERE ALL WRONG, MY DEAR FRIENDS. WE MEANT ANYBODY BUT THE YANKEES
NOW YOU KNOW MORE ABOUT WAR
THAT WAS A FORCIBLE LECTURE
SO CONVINCING
YES, DOT'S VAT WE MEANT
PARDONG, MONSIEUR PARDONG
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